I am OPPOSED to the imposition of federal rules that would allow companies to contact me by phone up to 18 months after the cancellation of services.

Wisconsin's No Call List has been a major improvement in my life. It has dramtically reduced the number of interruptions due to frequent and unsolicited phone calls. I would not like to return to "the days of yesteryear."

If companies would like the opportunity to reconnect with past customers, they should be allowed to have a reverse checkoff on cancellation notices, i.e. something similar to those used on web sites, where customers must check/uncheck a box giving businesses the right to share one's email address, email notices of sales/updates/etc.

In no instance, should a company's need to market its products be of greater import than a citizen's right to privacy!

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